

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the paragraph on page 21, line 6 - page 22, line 10, as follows:

The filler may be present in the particulate phase in an amount ranging from 0 (excluded) to 60%, more generally from 0.05 to 60% by weight, preferably from 20% to 60%, by weight relative to the total weight of the composition. It may be inorganic or synthetic. It is generally chosen from talc, in particular surface-treated to make it hydrophilic, mica, silica, kaolin, ~~Nylon®~~ nylon powder (Orgasol® in particular from Atochem), polyethylene powder, Teflon®, sericites, clays, starch, boron nitride, powders of tetrafluoroethylene polymers, powders of polymethyl methacrylate, polyurethane powders such as BPD-500 from the company KOBO, polystyrene powders, polyester powders, synthetic hollow microspheres such as Expancel® (from the company NOBEL INDUSTRIE), microsponges such as Polytrap® (from the company DOW CORNING) and microbeads of polymethylsilsesquioxane resin (Tospearl® from the company TOSHIBA, for example), zinc and titanium oxides, zirconium and cerium oxides, precipitated calcium carbonate, magnesium carbonate and hydrocarbonate, hydroxyapatite, hollow silica microspheres (Silica Beads® from the company MAPRECOS), glass and ceramic microcapsules, metal soaps derived from organic carboxylic acids having from 8 to 22 carbon atoms and preferably from 12 to 18 carbon atoms, per molecule, such as zinc, magnesium and lithium stearate, zinc laurate, magnesium myristate, and mixtures thereof. Preferably, the filler is chosen from mica, preferably hydrophilic talc, synthetic hollow microspheres, polyurethane powder and ~~Nylon®~~ nylon powders.

Please amend the paragraph on page 22, line 25 - page 23, line 4, as follows:

According to a preferred embodiment of the invention, the particulate phase comprises at least one compound chosen from the group consisting of mica, pearlescent agents, preferably hydrophilic talc, synthetic hollow microspheres, polyurethane powder, pigments and ~~Nylon®~~ nylon powders.